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TO AMEMBASSY SANAA IMMEDIATE

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: PFOR, YS

SUBJECT: ID AL-FITR MESSAGE

1. WHITE HOUSE HAS AUTHORIZED FOLLOWING MESSAGE TO BE  
DELIVERED TO PRESIDENT AL-IRYANI OF NORTH YEMEN.

QUOTE: YOUR EXCELLENCY: IT IS WITH PLEASURE THAT I  
CONGRATULATE YOU AND THE PEOPLE OF THE YEMAN ARAB REPUBLIC  
ON THE BLESSED OCCASION OF THE ID AL-FITR. MAY YOU AND  
YOUR COUNTRYMEN CONTINUE TO ENJOY GOOD HEALTH, PEACE AND  
HAPPINESS IN THE YEAR AHEAD. SINCERELY, RICHARD NIXON.  
UNQUOTE

2. WHITE HOUSE DOES NOT PLAN TO RELEASE TEXT BUT HAS  
NO OBJECTION TO RELEASE BY THE GOY .

3. DECONTROL UPON RECEIPT. KISSINGER

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## Message Attributes

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